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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

A jury before Coroner Bradish yesterday morning ascertained that the R. & I. Railroad company and its employees from all blame in the death of Thomas Handy, who fell from a train Thursday night near Moline.

Two hundred liquor dealers will attend the convention of liquor dealers in Saginaw this week. Special care on the D. & N. have been secured, and the saloonkeepers will go in style.

The Oriel Cabinet company has struck a flowing well of salt water at its factory. The depth is 240 feet.

Joshua Handy of this city was elected grand senior warden of the Michigan Odd Fellows at Flint Friday.

George Arnold is planning to remove to California to make it his permanent residence.

Grand Chancellor Louisa has approved an application for the institution of a K. of P. lodge at Jonesville. The new lodge will be numbered 163.

The sewing class of the young women of the W. C. T. U. met yesterday afternoon in the McMullen block.

John Wiles and three children of Grand Haven were in the city yesterday on a shopping trip.

W. E. Cowlishaw, car distributor of the G. B. & T., was north yesterday on business connected with his department.

Hall & Waters had a new transfer carriage turned out from Dawson's carriage shop yesterday.

The weekly health report shows twenty-nine cases of contagious diseases at the close of last week, twenty-five new cases reported, fourteen recoveries and four deaths, closing this week with thirty-six cases on the books.

Mrs. C. T. Morton left yesterday for Chicago to attend the dedication of the world's fair buildings.

The Hartman hall lecture course this season will open October 25 with a concert by the celebrated Mozart symphony club of New York. Season tickets will be \$2 for the ten concerts and lectures, and will be on sale October 22.

Dr. Urban Thomas will address the Union Spiritualists today.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoster and granddaughter of Seneca Falls, N. Y., left for home this week after a six weeks' visit with their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Hatch, No. 13 Waverly place.

A musical and literary entertainment for the benefit of the Plainfield avenue lodge, I. O. G. T., No. 212, will be given at Pettit's hall, corner Quincy street and Plainfield avenue, tomorrow evening, under the direction of Miss Carr.

The Chevalier De Kontski, director of the piano department of the Western Michigan college conservatory, gave an artistic recital in Lawrence,

Kas, last Wednesday evening before an audience of 3,000 people. He was engaged by the management of the State University of Kansas.

The Rev. W. J. Russell was called to Haddonville Saturday afternoon to preach a funeral sermon in the Congregational church of that place.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Houghton of No. 240 James street last evening.

Albert Scott and Miss Mina M. Robinson were married at 9:30 last evening, and left at 11:30 for Chicago and the east.

William C. Talmadge of this city is attending the Shattuck military school at Fairbault, Minn.

Mrs. Sarah Wood of No. 22 Canal street, will leave Tuesday for a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Eugene Brooks and daughter Hattie, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Minchin.

Eugene Brooks has gone to Pittsfield, Mass.

Dwight Brooks and others residing on Ethel avenue have agreed to pay \$300 a year water rates if the board of public works will lay the water mains in Westway avenue and Ethel avenue before June of next year.

Fuller & Rice have just completed five houses on their addition near the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee junction.

Capt. Charles W. Eaton is remodeling his house. When completed it will be one of the finest specimens of interior decoration in the city. The prevailing color will be brown.

Dr. Luten completed a small house at the corner of Trowbridge and Prospect streets yesterday.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana station at Maunton is being remodeled.

Fuller & Rice have just completed a house at No. 308 Watson street.

Ex-Mayor Crawford Angel has recovered from his recent severe illness and expects to resume his duties Monday as superintendent of the American express company.

P. G. Leedibore, who has been foreman for the Grand Rapids Electric Light company for twelve years, has resigned his position and gone to Pueblo, Col.

Faithful temple No. 61, Juvenile Templars, will give a musical and literary entertainment in Good Templars' hall, No. 39 West Bridge street, next Thursday evening.

Local freight agents all over the country have been notified to receive no more freight consigned to the world's fair until after the dedication services are closed.

Yesterday afternoon the fire department was called to Ball Bros.' Glass works on West Bridge street on account of a small blaze. No damage. The fire was caused by over-heated glue in a glue pot.

Joseph B. Childers is remodeling his house on Lake avenue.

The Children's Home building on Cherry street is receiving its coat of paint.

Contractor Curtis has completed the north, west and south walls of the Briggs building on Canal street and Monday morning will begin work on the roof. He expects to have his work on the building completed within thirty days.

R. K. Fuller has been engaged as a temporary clerk in the city treasurer's office to assist through the rush of tax receipts.

Joseph T. Thompson of Casnovia came to the city yesterday with his in-

tended bride and a marriage license from Muskegon county and was married at 8 o'clock last evening at the Bridge Street house by Justice Holcomb.

Contractor Rozema expects to have the Grace church building completed by January 1.

The crowd on the streets last night was the largest of the season, and ice cream joints were doing a flourishing business.

Charles W. Hurd is building three houses on Boynton's addition.

Personal Mention.

Arthur Williams and Miss Jennie Wetzel are to be married November 4.

Mrs. J. H. Walker and daughter Jessie have returned from the east.

Miss May Widdowson is in Chicago the guest of Miss Richards.

Thad B. Preston of Ionia was in the city yesterday.

John Wiles and family of Grand Haven were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Masnick have returned from the east.

Dr. H. J. Turner of Wayland was in the city yesterday.

Miss Emily Packer, a nurse at St. Mark's hospital, is expecting to return Wednesday or Thursday.

Mrs. George H. Rodgers of Chesaning is visiting her son, Frank A. Rodgers of No. 21 Julia street.

Mrs. Collins H. Johnston has sent out invitations for her reception to be held at her residence, No. 247 Jefferson avenue, Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Ida Jonsson of No. 291 Terrace avenue has returned from a five month's visit with her grandparents at Rochester, N. Y.

Capt. Charles W. Eaton has gone to Chicago. He will bring Miss Eaton, a niece from Duluth, with him when he returns.

A. C. Torry went to Chicago last night to spend Sunday.

P. B. Wachtel of Petoskey, ex-speaker of the state legislature, was in the city yesterday.

George W. Franklin of No. 157 Scribner street, is in Chicago.

J. M. Moon of No. 585 South Ionia street, has gone to Cedar Springs.

J. E. Ireland of No. 146 South Prospect street, has gone to Petoskey on business.

George Rowley has returned from Vassar, where he has been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lin Rice, of the Bridge Street house, are spending a few days at Coopersville. Mrs. Rice is visiting her parents, and Lin is hunting the frisky squirrel.

William N. Rowe has been in Traverse City several days.

C. G. Perry has returned from Lowell.

Mrs. M. Bell is in Lansing for a few days.

H. Fred DeGraaf has returned from a two weeks' visit in Boston and New York.

Burial Permits.

Bert A. Wilson, age 33 years, Chicago, Valley City; Sebastian A. Brandt, age 3 years, No. 90 Jefferson street, Mt. Calvary.

Contagious Diseases.

P. Roads, age 32 years, No. 62 Cedar street, diphtheria; Anna DeKorne, age 3 years, No. 497 East Leonard street; whooping cough; John DeKorne, age 4 years, same; Celia DeKorne, age 2 years, same.

Real Estate Transfers.

John DeKorne to Otto Houtman and wife, lot 11, Van Leusen's add. 650

Charles E. Fox to Truman Kellogg, part of lot 2 Block 14 Davis' add. 3,500

James Baker to Jacob Benken and wife, lot 12, block 1, Miller's add. 310

Truman Kellogg to Charles E. Fox, lots 30, 31 and 32, Kellogg's add. 1,500

John A. Rickard to Frank W. Wilson, lot 1, block 1, Rickard's add. 635

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ORIENTAL BEAUTY.

An Exhibit of Rich and Elegant Rugs and Carpets on Display Few Days Longer.

The third floor of the immense carpet emporium of Smith & Sanford, Monroe street, has been partly occupied the past week by a display of rugs and carpets owned by H. E. Nergararian of Detroit. Since the opening day a very large number of ladies have called and examined the costly goods, and not a small number of sales have been made.

The exhibit embraces everything that is rich and elegant in patterns in rugs and carpets made in the countries of Persia, Turkey and Armenia, and is well worth seeing. Nergararian has been a dealer in these goods for a number of years, and in the past has visited Grand Rapids a number of times. He always brought with him a beautiful line, but on this occasion his display eclipses anything he has ever placed before the ladies of this city. All the patterns are new in fact are novelties, the designs of antique patterns being especially attractive. Among the greatest features in the collection may be mentioned a Persian La Hor, ten feet three inches by five feet three inches in size, which is of palm leaf design with a sanscript pattern border. All the goods are being sold at a very low figure and many very fine bargains are being offered the ladies. Nergararian will remain at Smith & Sanford's until Friday. He extends to the ladies of Grand Rapids and vicinity a cordial invitation to give him a call during the week.

Nothing beautifies a home so much as floor covering that is lastly, attractive and at the same time of a rich design. Nergararian's display embraces patterns that suits the tastes of all classes, even those that are most fastidious. He can please anybody.

Parlor furniture of all kinds at Compton Furniture Co., 79 South Division street.

Young people's dancing class Friday evening, at Sumner's hall. Admission 35 cents.

The musical people of our city should greet the celebrated pianist, William H. Sherwood, with a large and appreciative audience at his lecture recital, given in Chapel hall, Monday, the 17th.

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The excursion for Detroit will leave via D. & N. at 7:00 a. m., October 30, and get to Detroit about 11:30 a. m. Leave, returning, at 8 p. m. Tickets also good on night train, leaving Detroit at 11 p. m.

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